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Amendment
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REMARKS

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated **February 15, 2007**.

Each issue in the Office Action is addressed below.

§102 Rejections

Claims 21-25, 29, 30, and 39-42 were rejected under 35 USC §102(b) as being anticipated by Dehdashtian et al. (US 6013092). A full account of the rejection is found on pages 2-4 of the Official Action.

Although Applicant disagrees with the rejection, claims 21, 29 and 41 have been amended to further distinguish the claimed subject matter from the cited reference. Withdrawal of the rejection is therefore respectfully requested.

The claims are now believed to be in condition for allowance. The prompt allowance of these claims is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner wishes to discuss further issues, he is invited to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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